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# STATEMENT OF ORGANIZATION

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State Board of Elections  
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POLITICAL COMMITTEE  
IDENTIFICATION #

37482 -10

Full name and complete mailing address of Political Committee:

Illinois Freedom Caucus ☐ CHECK FOR ADDRESS CHANGE  
Political Action Committee  
57 South Side Country Club  
Decatur, IL 62521

☐ CHECK HERE TO RECEIVE REPORT NOTIFICATIONS VIA E-MAIL ONLY

E-MAIL ADDRESS:

SEE PAMPHLET "A GUIDE TO CAMPAIGN DISCLOSURE" FOR GUIDANCE

- 1 ☒ NEW COMMITTEE (MUST BE FILED WITHIN 10 DAYS OF CREATION, OR WITHIN 2 DAYS IF CREATED WITHIN 30 DAYS BEFORE AN ELECTION)  
☐ AMENDMENT (MUST BE FILED WITHIN 10 DAYS OF ANY CHANGES. ENTER ONLY THOSE CHANGES FROM LAST D-1 ON FILE.)  
☐ REACTIVATING

2 DATE COMMITTEE CREATED: 5-12-22 3 AMOUNT OF FUNDS AVAILABLE AS OF CREATION DATE: \$ 100.00

## POLITICAL COMMITTEE DESIGNATION (ALL COMMITTEES CHOOSE ONLY ONE)

- 4 ☐ CANDIDATE POLITICAL COMMITTEE\*  
\*For purposes of contribution limits and reporting requirements, a Candidate Political Committee supporting a candidate for multiple offices elected at different elections must designate an election cycle by listing the office currently sought.  
This office is: \_\_\_\_\_  
☒ POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE  
☐ POLITICAL PARTY COMMITTEE  
☐ BALLOT INITIATIVE COMMITTEE  
☐ INDEPENDENT EXPENDITURE COMMITTEE

## POLITICAL COMMITTEE'S AREA OF ACTIVITY, SCOPE, AND PARTY AFFILIATION

- 5 A. THIS COMMITTEE WILL PRIMARILY OPERATE IN THE FOLLOWING COUNTIES OR DISTRICTS:  
(if operating statewide or supporting/opposing statewide candidates or ballot initiatives, leave blank.)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
B. POLITICAL PARTY AFFILIATION: Republican  
C. NAME AND ADDRESS OF EACH SPONSORING ENTITY (if applicable):

6 PURPOSE OF THE POLITICAL COMMITTEE Work directly with the Republican Caucus in the Illinois General Assembly to promote the best conservative policies on behalf of the citizens of Illinois and to support Republican candidates for the U.S. House

7 CANDIDATE(S) THE COMMITTEE IS SUPPORTING OR OPPOSING (IF AMENDING, LIST ALL AS OF TODAY'S DATE.) House

NAME AND ADDRESS	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OFFICE	PARTY
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		

IF MORE SPACE IS NEEDED, PLEASE ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS.

COMMITTEE NAME:		POLITICAL COMMITTEE ID #: <b>37482</b>	
<b>8 REQUIRED COMMITTEE OFFICERS:</b>			
POSITION	NAME	ADDRESS, PHONE NUMBER, AND E-MAIL ADDRESS	
CHAIR	Chris Miller	23326 E. County Rd 1960 N (217) 276-2542 Oakland, IL 61943 millerchrisandmary@gmail.com	
TREASURER	DAN CAULKINS	57 South Side Country Club (217) 855-1876 Decatur, IL 62521 dpcdpdp@aol.com	
<b>9 POSITION, NAME AND ADDRESS OF EACH CUSTODIAN OF THE COMMITTEE'S ACCOUNTS (IF DIFFERENT THAN OFFICERS)</b>			
POSITION	NAME	ADDRESS, PHONE NUMBER, AND E-MAIL ADDRESS	
Member	Blaine Wilhour	2195 E. 2500 Ave. Beecher City, IL 62414 blainewilhour@frontiernet.net	
<b>10 FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND OTHER REPOSITORIES OF COMMITTEE FUNDS</b>			
NAME		ADDRESS AND PHONE NUMBER	
Regions Bank		350 N. Water St. (217) 615-0043 Decatur, IL 62523	
<b>DISPOSITION OF RESIDUAL FUNDS IN THE EVENT OF DISSOLUTION OR TERMINATION OF THE COMMITTEE</b>			
<b>11</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RETURN TO CONTRIBUTORS IN AMOUNTS NOT TO EXCEED THEIR INDIVIDUAL CONTRIBUTIONS		
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TRANSFER TO ANOTHER POLITICAL COMMITTEE: _____		
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TRANSFER TO A CHARITABLE ORGANIZATION: _____		
IF MORE SPACE IS NEEDED, PLEASE ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS			
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>VERIFICATION: BALLOT INITIATIVE COMMITTEE ONLY</b></p> <p>I DECLARE THAT THIS <u>BALLOT INITIATIVE COMMITTEE</u> IS FORMED FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUPPORTING OR OPPOSING A QUESTION OF PUBLIC POLICY. ALL CONTRIBUTIONS AND EXPENDITURES OF THE COMMITTEE WILL BE USED FOR THE PURPOSE DESCRIBED IN THIS STATEMENT OF ORGANIZATION. THE COMMITTEE MAY ACCEPT UNLIMITED CONTRIBUTIONS FROM ANY SOURCE, PROVIDED THAT THIS BALLOT INITIATIVE COMMITTEE DOES NOT MAKE CONTRIBUTIONS OR EXPENDITURES IN SUPPORT OF OR OPPOSITION TO A CANDIDATE OR CANDIDATES FOR NOMINATION FOR ELECTION, OR RETENTION, AND FAILURE TO ABIDE BY THESE REQUIREMENTS SHALL DEEM THIS COMMITTEE IN VIOLATION OF THIS ARTICLE (10 ILCS 5/9).</p>			
PRINTED AND WRITTEN SIGNATURE OF COMMITTEE CHAIR		DATE	
Chris G. Miller		5-19-22	
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>VERIFICATION: INDEPENDENT EXPENDITURE COMMITTEE ONLY</b></p> <p>I DECLARE THAT (i) THIS <u>INDEPENDENT EXPENDITURE COMMITTEE</u> IS FORMED FOR THE EXCLUSIVE PURPOSE OF MAKING INDEPENDENT EXPENDITURES, (ii) ALL CONTRIBUTIONS AND EXPENDITURES OF THE COMMITTEE WILL BE USED FOR THE PURPOSE DESCRIBED IN THIS STATEMENT OF ORGANIZATION, (iii) THE COMMITTEE MAY ACCEPT UNLIMITED CONTRIBUTIONS FROM ANY SOURCE, PROVIDED THAT THE INDEPENDENT EXPENDITURE COMMITTEE DOES NOT MAKE CONTRIBUTIONS TO ANY CANDIDATE POLITICAL COMMITTEE, POLITICAL PARTY COMMITTEE, OR POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE, AND (iv) FAILURE TO ABIDE BY THESE REQUIREMENTS SHALL DEEM THE COMMITTEE IN VIOLATION OF THIS ARTICLE (10 ILCS 5/9).</p>			
PRINTED AND WRITTEN SIGNATURE OF COMMITTEE CHAIR		DATE	
Chris G. Miller		5-19-22	
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>VERIFICATION: ALL POLITICAL COMMITTEES</b></p> <p>I DECLARE THAT THIS STATEMENT OF ORGANIZATION (INCLUDING ANY ACCOMPANYING SCHEDULES AND STATEMENTS) HAS BEEN EXAMINED BY ME AND, TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF, IS A TRUE, CORRECT, AND COMPLETE STATEMENT OF ORGANIZATION AS REQUIRED BY ARTICLE 9 OF THE ELECTION CODE. I UNDERSTAND THAT WILLFULLY FILING A FALSE OR INCOMPLETE STATEMENT OF ORGANIZATION IS SUBJECT TO A CIVIL PENALTY OF AT LEAST \$1,001 AND UP TO \$5,000.</p>			
PRINTED AND WRITTEN SIGNATURE OF TREASURER OR CANDIDATE		DATE	
Dan Caulkins		5-19-22	
<p>THE ILLINOIS STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS REQUIRES THE DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION THAT IS NECESSARY IF YOU QUALIFY AS A POLITICAL COMMITTEE AS OUTLINED UNDER PUBLIC ACT 78-1183. WILLFUL FAILURE TO FILE OR WILLFUL FILING OF FALSE OR INCOMPLETE INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THIS ARTICLE SHALL CONSTITUTE A BUSINESS OFFENSE SUBJECT TO A FINE OF UP TO \$5,000. THIS FORM IS IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE FORMS MANAGEMENT PROGRAM ACT.</p>			

ALL POLITICAL COMMITTEES RETURN TO:

STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS  
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